

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

July 26, 1999

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RE: MUR 4675

Pete Wilson for President Committee, Inc.

Dear Mr. Ginsberg:

In the normal course of carrying out its supervisory responsibilities, the Federal Election Commission ("Commission") considered the issue of whether your client, the Pete Wilson for President Committee, Inc. ("the Committee"), violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) and 441b(a), provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended.

On July 20, 1999, the Commission considered these issues but there was an insufficient number of votes to find reason to believe that the Committee violated 2 U.S.C. §§ 441a(f) and 441b(a). Accordingly, the Commission closed its file in this matter.

The confidentiality provisions at 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a)(12) no longer apply and this matter is now public. In addition, although the complete file must be placed on the public record within 30 days, this could occur at any time following certification of the Commission's vote. If you wish to submit any factual or legal materials to appear on the public record, please do so as soon as possible. While the file may be placed on the public record before receiving your additional materials, any permissible submissions will be added to the public record upon receipt.

If you have any questions, please contact Andre G. Pineda, the attorney assigned to this matter, at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Lawrence M. Noble

General Counsel

By: Kim Bright-Coleman

Associate General Counsel

cc: Renee Croce, Treasurer